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m	AA	2,837,152	6/3/58	Moore Jr.	—	—	
m	AB	4,139,043	2/13/79	Donofrio	—	—	
m	AC	4,157,108	6/5/79	Donofrio	—	—	
m	AD	4,567,930	2/4/86	Fischer	—	—	
m	AE	4,819,530	4/11/89	Huang	—	—	
m	AF	4,625,868	12/2/86	Bischof	—	—	
m	AG	1,721,276	7/16/29	Marsilius	—	—	
m	AH	2,057,488	10/13/36	Hochstadt	—	—	
m	AI	2,827,686	3/25/58	Adelman	—	—	
m	AJ	2,883,736	4/28/59	Crane	—	—	
m	AK	3,260,146	7/12/66	Child	—	—	

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m	AL GB 2197374A	5/18/88	United Kingdom	—	—		
	AM 1291913	3/19/62	France			X	
m	AN 0273535	7/6/88	Europe	—	—		
m	AO 0265564	5/4/88	Europe	—	—		
	AP 63-125794	5/28/88	Japan			X	

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m	AR	Four photographs showing a guillotine-type cutting machine for fabric only, sold by Springs Window Fashions Division, Inc. prior to April 3, 1997.
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m	AB	3,584,380	6/15/71	Mehler et al.	—	—	
m	AC	3,766,815	10/23/73	Edixhoven	—	—	
gr	AD	4,468,995	9/4/84	Mireles-Saldivar	—	—	
m	AE	4,643,238	2/17/87	Tachikawa et al.	—	—	
gr	AF	4,730,372	3/15/88	Tsuchida	—	—	
m	AG	5,037,253	8/6/91	Molaro et al.	—	—	
m	AH	5,056,388	10/15/91	Dekker et al.	—	—	
m	AI	5,072,494	12/17/91	Graves et al.	—	—	
m	AJ	5,103,702	4/14/92	Yannazzone	—	—	
m	AK	5,339,716	8/23/94	Sands et al.	—	—	

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	AN	61-270494	1-1/29/86	Japan				X
	AO	62-45884	2/27/87	Japan				X
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M	AB	4,993,131	2/19/91	Graves et al.	—	—	
A	AC	2,346,100	4/4/44	Wright	—	—	
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AN	63-8394	1/20/88	Japan				X
AO	GB 2197012A	5/11/88	United Kingdom (abstract only)				
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